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The Daily Couran[illegible]

Saturday, December 22. 1722.

THE following Addreſs of the Corporation of Lan[illegible]aſter, has been preſented to His Majeſty by Sir Thomas Lowther, Bart. one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Viſcount To[illegible]nſhend, one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretari[illegible]s of State.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,
The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Bailiffs, Capital Burgeſſes, Common-Council, Inhabitants, and Burgeſſes of the ancient and loyal Corporation of Lancaſter.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, approach your Majeſty with moſt grateful Hearts, to acknowledge the many and invaluable Bleſſings we have enjoyed under your auſpicious Government; and more particularly at this Time to pay our Tribute of the moſt unfeigned Thanks, for the great Care and wiſe Meaſures which your Majeſty has taken to detect and diſappoint the dark and treaſonable Deſigns of the Enemies to our Peace and Proſperity.

We cannot enough admire your Majeſty's great Wiſdom and Vigilance [illegible] Good and Happineſs of your Kingdoms, to which (under God) we owe the Diſcovery of this Helliſh Conſpiracy, formed in Favour of a Popiſh Pretender againſt your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon, and for the final Subverſion of our happy Conſtitution, our Religion, Laws and Liberties; nor ſufficiently expreſs our Abhorrence of ſo deteſtable a Deſign, and our Indignation againſt thoſe who have been ſo abandoned as to engage in it in Defiance of all Obligations both divine and human.

Our Duty to your Majeſty, (the beſt of Princes) no leſs than our own Intereſts and Welfare, will ever firmly engage us to the utmoſt of our Powers, in the Support and Maintenance of your Majeſty's juſt and undoubted Right to the Imperial Crown of this Realm, and to pray, (as we fervently do) that the Almighty may continue you under his moſt powerful Protection againſt all Conſpiracies and Attempts whatſoever, and that your Reign over us may be long and happy, and your Royal Deſcendants rule afterwards to the lateſt Generations.

Vienna, Dec. 10. It is ſaid, the Emperour has wrote a ſecond Letter to the Duke of Parma, in Confirmation of that which he wrote not long ſince, adviſing the Duke to forbear any Engagements with France and Spain prejudicial to the Auſtrian Intereſt; and that although the Court of Rome ſhould inſinuate to him an Independency of Fiefdom for the States of Parma and Placenna, yet his Imperial Majeſty will not ſuffer his Rights to be diminiſhed upon any Account; But notwithſtanding all inſtancing of this ſort, 'tis pretty well known how much the Duke has leant in Inclination theſe 30 Years paſt towards the French and Spaniſh Intereſts. --- The Birth-Day of the preſent reigning Empreſs was celebrated here the [illegible]th paſt, with the utmoſt Pomp; among other Particulars of that Day, 'tis ſaid the Emperour ſaluted his eldeſt Daughter the Archdutcheſs Maria-Thereſa by the Title of Succeſſour; on which Occaſion, that Princeſs, who is no more than ſix Years old, made a very handſome Speech to his Imperial Majeſty, and to the Empreſs: The Report of her Imperial Majeſty's being again with Child, is not yet entirely diſbelieved. No Time is yet fixt for the Departure of Count de Czernin in Quality of the Emperour's Ambaſſadour to France. --- Several Families of the Nobility have made Offers of paying to each of their Imperial Majeſty's 100,000 Rixdollars, upon Condition their Houſes may become privileged and enjoy a Right of Sanctuary; but the ſame has been flatly refuſed by their Imperial Majeſties, who rather are inclined to take away ſuch unreaſonable Privileges than add to their Number. --- The Czar's Reſident at this Court pays frequent Viſits to the Vice-Chancellour of the Empire, to examine into the Diſpoſition of this Court touching his Maſter's Affairs, particularly with reſpect to the Imperial Title which the Czar requires to have acknowledged? to this, the Muſcovite Reſident is generally anſwered, 'That his 'beſt way would be to ſpeak on that Head to the 'Emperour himſelf; that, for the Vice Chancellour's part, it was not agreeable to be ſo often 'importuning his Imperial Majeſty about the ſame 'Thing.' --- It is ſaid, that M. Dierling has ſent to this Court for Inſtructions what Anſwer he is to make to the Grand Vizier in caſe he ſhould renew his late Queſtion, whether the preſent good Harmony between this Court and the Ottoman Porte ſhould be any ways diſturbed in caſe the latter proceeds to an open Rupture with the Czar of Muſcovy?

Hague, Dec. [illegible]. The Council of State is very attentive in ſettling the Military State for next Year, and has given Orders for repairing all the fortified Places belonging to the Republick. The King of Poland's Envoy for the Electorate of Saxony, ſolicites ſtrongly the Payment of the Sums due to his Majeſty; it is believed he will obtain Payment of what the Province of Holland owes for their Quota, but the reſt of the Provinces not being yet come to an Agreement among themſelves what they are reſpectively to allow upon Account of the Expences of the laſt War, the King of Poland, probably, will grant them further Time.——

that the King of Pruſſia deſigns to hither ſhortly, to put an End to Af[illegible] between his Majeſty and the Prince [illegible] concerning the Inheritance of his Majeſty King William III. The [illegible]ral's Deputies received Yeſterday a Let[illegible] the Biſhop of Munſter, deſiring they pleaſed to grant a Reſpite of three the Count de Bentheim, in Conſidera[illegible]on of his having taken effectual Methods to pay them in that Time 300,000 Florins in Part of what he owes to the Republick. Their High Mightineſſes deſign in their next Aſſembly to conclude upon an Anſwer to the Biſhop in a Manner ſuitable to his Recommendation.

Falmouth, Dec. 17. Yeſterday arrived the Prince Frederick Packet-Boat from Lisbon, who brings the good News of the ſafe Arrival there of 33 Ships of the Brazil Fleet. Came in alſo the Sea-Horſe of Yarmouth for Venice; Tryal of Falmouth for the Canaries; Dolphin of London for Lisbon; and Adventure of Weymouth for Lisbon. We had in the Night of the 15th a violent Storm of Wind, but did no Damage to our Ships in the Harbour.

Plymouth, Dec. 18. Yeſterday came in the Samaritan from Alicant; and a Sloop from the Canaries. Sailed a homeward bound Ship Eaſtward.

Dartmouth, Dec. 18. This Day came in the Mary Anne Brigantine of this Place from Virginia, bound for London.

Deal, Dec. 19. The outward-bound are ſtill here. Came down the Champion for Vigo; Expedition for Africa; James for Virginia; *Dover* for Maryland; Betty for Madera; and Katherine and Chitty Galley, both for Lisbon; and Induſtry for Dublin. A great many ſmall Veſſels and Coaſters for Dublin, &c. are come down and gone to Dover. Arrived Yeſterday the - - - Capt. Hicks, from St. Sebaſtian, and - - - Capt. Townſend, from Virginia; and this Day arrived the Auſtria from Antegoa.

Deal, Dec. 20. The outward-bound are ſtill here. It rained and blew very hard laſt Night, however none of the Ships received any Damage, except His Majeſty's Yacht the Plymouth Tranſport, which ſailed for Plymouth, and was forced back, with her Main-maſt blowed in Pieces. A Smugling Boat from Calais was alſo loſt near Dover, with all her Men.

London, December 22.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to grant a Reprieve by which the Execution of the Sentence of Chriſtopher Layer, Eſq; under Condemnation for High Treaſon, is further reſpited until the 19th Day of January next.

London, December 22.

Yeſterday South-Sea Stock was 98 1 qr. 97 1 half, 98, 97 1 half, 98 1 qr. 97 3 qrs. to 98 1 qr. Books ſhut. Bank 1[illegible] 3 qrs. Books ſhut. India 133 3 qrs. 134, to 133 3 qrs. Books ſhut. African 9. Unſubſcribed Lottery Annuity 100 1 half. Books ſhut. York-Buildings 15 1 half. Royal Exchange Aſſurance 4 1 8th. London Aſſurance 5 1 qr.

York Buildings-Houſe, *Dec.* 20, 1722.

The Governour and Company of Undertakers for Raiſing the Thames Water in York-Buildings, hereby give Notice, That on Tueſday the 8th Day of January next, the ſaid Company will begin to pay the half Year's Annuities due at Chriſtmas next, and will continue to pay the ſame every Tueſday and Thurſday from Ten in the Forenoon to One: And they do hereby further give Notice to all the Proprietors of the ſaid Annuities, that they do prepare and deliver to the Caſhier of the ſaid Company, proper Certificates of the Nominees in their ſeveral Annuity Bonds being alive on the 25th of this Inſtant December.

The Directors of the Corporation of [illegible] Society for a Perpetual Aſſurance Office do hereby give Notice, that the preſent, and thoſe who ſhall hereafter become Members of the ſaid Corporation, may Inſure one, two, or three Numbers in one Policy, on their own Life, paying yearly 4 l. 4 s. for each Number ſo inſured, by quarterly Payments, ſo long as they ſhall Live, their Aſſignes at their Death may receive from the yearly Dividend made by the ſaid Corporation the Sum of 100 l. or more, for every Number ſo inſured, which is more than 23 Years Purchaſe on a ſingle Life, for every 4 l. 4 s. paid yearly to the ſaid Corporation.

AT the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this preſent Saturday, being the 22d of December, will be Reviv'd An Opera call'd, FLORIDANTE, with ſeveral Additions and Alterations. Pit and Boxes to be put together, and in Regard to the Increaſe of the Numbers of the Subſcribers, no more than Three Hundred and Fifty Tickets will be deliver'd out this Day, at Mrs. White's Chocolate-Houſe in St. James's-ſtreet, at Half a Guinea each. No Perſons are to be admitted behind the Scenes. Gallery 5 s. To begin exactly at Six a-Clock.

Not Acted this Seaſon.

By His Majeſty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-lane, this preſent Saturday, being the 22d of December, will be preſented a Tragedy call'd, Theodoſius: Or, The Force of Love. Varenes Mr. Booth, Athenais Mrs. Porter, Theodoſius Mr. Williams, Marcian Mr. Mills, Atticus Mr. Boman, Pulcheria Mrs. Horton.

By the Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, this preſent Saturday, being the 22d of December, will be preſented a Comedy call'd, The Drummer; or, The Haunted Houſe. Written by the late Mr. Addiſon. Sir George Truman Mr. Ryan, Phantom Mr. Walker, Tinſel Mr. Egleton, Butler Mr. Morgan, Coachman Mr. Bullock, Sen. Gardiner Mr. Phipps, Lady Truman Mrs. Bullock, Abigail Mrs. Egleton, Vellum Mr. Hall. With ſeveral Entertainments of Dancing; particularly, Myrtillo; and a Dramatick Entertainment in Groteſque Characters, call'd, The Jealous Doctor, or, The Intriguing Dame.

Notice is hereby given,

That the Artificial Anatomy of Humane Bodies done after the Life, in colour'd Wax, will be open'd next Monday, for the Sight of the Curious and Admirers of ſuch ſingular Performance. The ſhort Bounds of an Advertiſement not allowing to preſent here an Account of the Particulars, they will be given out on purpoſe in a printed Paper. There is amongſt the Bodies, never ſeen before, the Figure of a Man who will appear to the Learned and Curious a Wonder in that Kind. An exact Attendance ſhall be given at the laſt Houſe down on the Right Hand in Somerſet-Stairs-Yard in the Strand. N. B. A Board writ with Gold Letters is fixt over the Gate. Price for every Perſon Five Shillings.

A Servant travelling from Chelmsford in Eſſex to Colcheſter, on Saturday the 15th Inſtant, between 12 and 4 in the Afternoon, on Examination, ſays he loſt from his Horſe on the Way, (ſuppoſed between Kelvedon and the Trowel and Hammer) a Pair of black Leather Bags, in which were two Bags of Money, with Direction on each Bag to the Owner. Whoever brings the ſaid Money and Bags to Mr. [illegible] Sereaton of Colcheſter, or to Pickering's Coffee-houſe in [illegible]ters Alley, Cornhill, London, ſhall have 40 l. Reward upon Delivery, and no Queſtions ask'd, or in Proportion for any Part thereof. And if any Perſon has received Information of any Perſon that hath found the ſaid Money and Bags, or can diſcover any Fraud upon making the ſame appear to the ſaid Sereaton, or at Pickering's Coffee-houſe aforeſaid, ſhall receive the ſame Reward for the whole, (or in Proportion for any Part) if recovered.

Loſt between the Stone Gallery in Privy-Garden, and Whitehall Gate, an oval Gold Snuff-box, with a Cypher C D on the Top. Whoever brings the ſaid Box to the Hon. Mr. Darcy's, in Privy-Garden, ſhall have three Guineas Reward and no Queſtions ask'd. If offer'd to be ſold or pawn'd, pray ſtop it, and give Notice as above.

Loſt between Baſinghall-ſtreet and Bartholomew-Cloſe by Weſt-Smithfield, on Tueſday laſt the 18th Inſtant, between the Hours of One and Two, a Silver Watch with a Tortoiſe-ſhell Caſe ſtudded with Silver. Whoever brings it to Mr. Elliott, Watch-maker, in Auſtin-Fryars (there being a [illegible] of his of Equation in the ſaid Caſe) ſhall be well Rewarded.

If any Perſon hath an Houſe (within Two, Three, Four or Five Miles near the Ware Road) fit for a Dozen People in Family, either to Lett or Sell; if they pleaſe to advertiſe it in this Paper, or leave Word at the Old Amſterdam Coffee-houſe behind the Royal Exchange, may hear of a Tenant, or Purchaſer.

To be Lett at Chriſtmas next,

The Lamp Ale-houſe in Broad-ſtreet. Enquire at Mrs. Toſts the Lower End of Baſinghall-ſtreet.

To be Sold by Wholeſale or Retail,

A large Parcel of fine Turkey and Muſcovy CARPETS, lately imported, of all Sizes, and of the beſt Colours and neweſt Patterns, at Mr. John HOWARD's and Comp. at the Talbot in Long-Lane, near Weſt-Smithfield. Where are fine Tapiſtry Hangings, and all manner of Houſhold Furniture made and ſold at the loweſt Prices. N. B. There is a large Parcel of very fine ſmall Carpets, fit for the fineſt Furniture, for Bed-ſides, Fire-ſides, under Chairs, or for under Tea-Tables, &c.

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